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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a consumer who supports broadband competition. I am against price hikes that will increase the cost of internet and telephone services. Consumers already pay too much for decent internet and telephone services and costs continue to increase from large companies that essentially monopolize these services.

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